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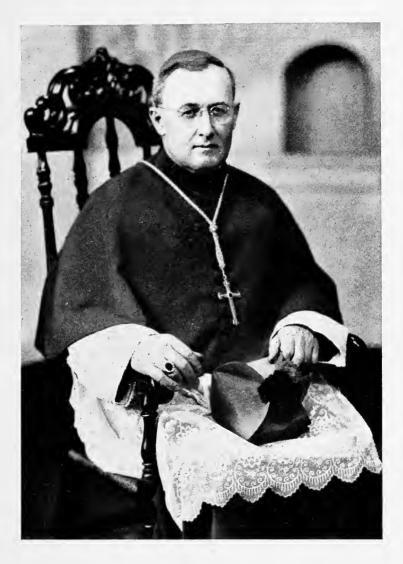




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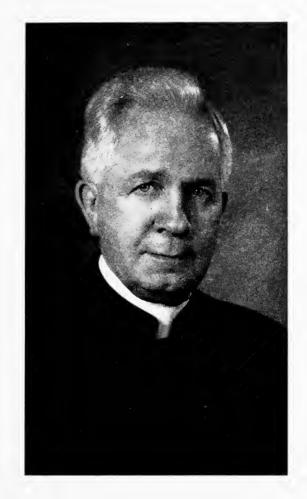


HIS EXCELLENCY, THE MOST REVEREND
JOHN G. BENNETT, D.D.
BISHOP OF THE DIOCESE OF LAFAYETTE IN INDIANA

♣ DEDICATION . . .

In tribute to our Pastor, Reverend Father Hammes, we, the Sophomore Class of 1949, gratefully dedicate this, the twentieth edition of

THE JOSEPHIUM.



OUR PASTOR

Reverend Father Theodore Hammes

+ FOREWORD . . .

The Sophomore Class of 1949 have compiled and presented this edition of the Josephium in the hope that the pleasant and sweet events of our school days may live long in our memories. May we ever appreciate the advantage that was ours in attending a Catholic School.

THE SOPHOMORE CLASS

ST. JOSEPH'S SCHOOL ELWOOD, INDIANA

PRESENTS

THE TWENTIETH EDITION

OF

THE JOSEPHIUM







PRAYER FOR A PRIEST

LORD, MAKE HIM an instrument of your peace. Where there is hatred, let him sow love; where there is injury, pardon; where there is doubt, faith; where there is despair, hope; where there is darkness, light; where there is sadness, joy.

ST. FRANCIS OF ASSISI

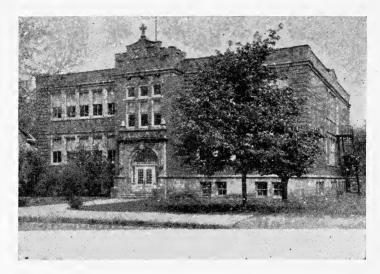
The majority of the pictures in our Josephium this year were taken by Monsignor Chapman. The Sisters and students of St. Joseph's School wish to take this opportunity to thank Monsignor for this courtesy.





Monsignor M. A. Chapman chaplain of mercy hospital





TO OUR TEACHERS, The Sisters of St. Joseph, we extend our sincere appreciation and gratitude.

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DOWN	THROUGH THE YEARS!
	Grade One Sister M. Regis
	Grade Two Sister M. Roberta
	Grade Three Sister M. Florentia
	Grade Four Sister M. Marce
	Grades Five and Six Sister M. Eulalia
	Grade Seven Sister M. Juliana
	Grade Eight Sister M. Frances
HIGH	SCHOOL
	Reverend Father Hammes Religion II
	The Montfort Fathers Religion I
	Sister M. Johanna English I and II
	Latin I and II
	Math 1 and II
	Typing II
	Sister M. Ricarda History I



CLASS OFFICERS

President Nan Fettig

Vice-President Maurice Renie

Secretary Barbara Collis

Treasurer Sarah Hirsch

CLASS MOTTO

Ad Majorem Dei Gloriam

INVOCATION

Ad Jesum per Mariam

CLASS FLOWER

Gold Chrysanthemum

CLASS COLORS
White and Gold

CLASS ROLL

Barbara Collis

Shirley John

Nan Fettig

Elizabeth Parr

Sarah Hirsch

Maurice Renie





Nanette Fettig
"Nan"

"Pleasantness is the greatest feminine virtue."

Vice President I
President II
Josephium Sports Editor
May Queen
Salutatorian
O.A.T.

SARAH HIRSCH "Sally"

"Nothing is so strong as gentleness; nothing is so gentle as real strength."

Treasurer II
Josephium Business Manager
President of Children of Mary
Guardian Angel to First
Communion Class
O.A.T.

MAURICE RENIE

"Politeness is the one quality over all others necessary to make a gentleman."

> Vice President II Josephium Photographer Football I and II Basketball II O.A.T.





BARBARA COLLIS "Barbie"

"Cheerfulness is an excellent wearing quality."

Secretary and Treasurer I
Secretary II
Josephium Editor
Valedictorian
O.A.T.

ELIZABETH PARR "Betty"

"Quiet, unobtrusive, but there is a definite trail of success behind her."

Josephium Typist
Maid of Honor
Secretary of Children of Mary
O.A.T.

SHIRLEY JOHN

"She has a way all her own that is quite likable."

Assistant Editor of Josephium Vice President of Children of Mary O.A.T.





LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT

WE, the honorable, respected Sophomores of 1949, being of sound mind (did someone say something?) do hereby make, ordain, and publish our LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT.

WE BEQUEATH:

To St. Joseph School our best wishes and the hope that it may continue to help others as it has helped us in our years here.

To our Pastor, the Reverend Theodore J. Hammes, our gratitude, admiration, and respect for his guidance, religious and otherwise; his interest in us and especially for the time he has cheerfully given us.

To our zealous teachers, the Sisters of St. Joseph, our gratitude and appreciation for their interest in our education and their help in matters of every kind.

To the Freshmen, our ability to run(?) the school expertly and efficiently and the good sportsmanship we have always displayed.

PERSONAL BEQUESTS:

I, BETTY PARR, bequeath:

- my big, brown eyes with the innocent expression to JEAN WERLINE.
- 2. my ability to drive (a tractor, that is) to LARRY FETTIG.
- 3. my mansion in Chicago to BEVERLY CONNORS;
- 4. my short nails (no scratch ability) to JULIA BUCCI.
- 5. my hair clasps and nickname "Billy" to ROSEMARY CONNER;
- my lovely eye brows and fluttering eye lashes (in case of an emergency) to RUTH FRITZ.

I, NAN FETTIG, bequeath:

- my unblemished (last?) name to LARRY FETTIG;
- 2. my love of men and fun to CAROLYN SMITH;
- 3. my diminutiveness (Ahem!) to PHIL JOHNSON;



- my brunette hair (with a blonde streak if she likes) to RUTH FRITZ;
- 5. my way with Cadets to ROSEMARY CONNER;
- 6. my ability to win a ping-pong game to RAY SEIBOLD.

I, MAURICE RENIE, bequeath:

- my honorable position as Mayor of Curtisville (where's that?) and manager of Stokely's to JERRY WILSON;
- 2. my "Model T," Sweet Genevieve, to DON EDER;
- 3. my ability to spell the right word wrong to ED MEYER;
- 4. my nickname "Quint" and my favorite saying, 'squintinsquinious drops,' to TONY DE BONIS;
- my package of "Chasers" and my job as high school errand boy to PHIL JOHNSON;
- 6. my love (spelled l-a-c-k of study) to ED HAYES.

I, SALLY HIRSCH, bequeath:

- 1. my kibitzer's seat in the back of the room to ED HAYES:
- my position as daughter "Twila" in the Sophomore family to PHYLLIS BRADLEY;
- 3. my natural curls to JIM MURPHY;
- 4. my horn, Zeke, to DON EDER;
- 5. all the pencils and paper I've borrowed from her to JULIA BUCCI:
- 6. my home out on Mudflats to RAY SEIBOLD.

I, SHIRLEY JOHN, bequeath:

- 1. sincere (Ah! Ha!) love of Tipton men to BARBARA LEAVELL;
- my love of candy (especially cherry cocktails, hint, hint) to JEAN WERLINE;
- 3. my playing ability at ping-pong to JERRY WILSON;
- 4. my slimness (is that what it is) to PHYLLIS BRADLEY;
- my ability to always talk (how true!) and never get caught to LARRY FETTIG;
- 6. my Latin, Geometry, and "answer" books to TONY DE BONIS.

I, BARBARA COLLIS, bequeath:

 my interest in the Theatre and my Pink Lightning glasses to CAROLYN SMITH;



2. my subscription to "The Times" and the privilege of paying the paper boy to BARBARA LEAVELL;

 my ability to sleep through any class and my supply of chewing gum which can be found in my typing desk drawer to ED MEYER;

4. my theme song, "Twelfth Street Rag," and my nickname, Lulu, to JULIA BUCCI;

5. my height and my White Mink Coat for use at any time to BEVERLY CONNORS:

6. my big, black Cadillac and my strawberry pink Roadster to HM MURPHY.

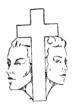
AMEN.

(Signed)

Barbara Collis

Witnesses:

Beverly Connors Barbara Leavell Ed Hayes



THE LITTLE THINGS

The little things are the things worthwhile— The words of praise, the pleasant smile; The helpful thought, the handclasp true; The kind of things you always do, Just the little things that help along, And fill one's life with joy and song.

Selected





CLASS PROPHECY

As WE LOOK through our Annual which we published back in 1949, we think of our classmates who have all been touched by fame and fortune and we remember the good times and the fun we had then.

The first familiar face we see is that of NAN FETTIG. Remember the contest they had for a mate for Boris Karloff? Well, Nan won: Boris, \$25,000, and a movie career! Be sure to see their latest picture, Dracula and Wife in "Married Strife."

Next we come to BETTY PARR. Her fame is known throughout the country. She took over Fred Astaire's Dancing Studios and you'll see her slogan on billboards everywhere:

"If in dancing you want to go far
Take ten easy lessons from Betty Parr—
Take twelve and you'll be better than we are."

Then we have QUINT RENIE, who was touched by fame in the wrong way. Quint is just about to take a lovely trip up the river. He claims burning down Fettig's Canning Factory was justifiable because Fettig's stole his ketch-up recipe, 'Devil's Desire'; but the Judge said, "Arson. Fifteen years."

Now we come to SALLY HIRSCH. Sally became a concert pianist but her career ended suddenly when she played with the Philharmonic Orchestra in Carnegie Hall (she was playing the "Twelfth Street Rag," and they were playing a sequence from the opera "Carmen.") She is now traveling with Jimmy Durante, singing "I'm Feeling Mighty Low."

But it was SHIRLEY JOHN who really hit the Big Time. She's really in the money. Why, she made \$20 the other night (cleaning up Duffey's Tavern) and on top of that she found that missing room. You'll be hearing her commercial on all radio stations:



"If it's missing, call Shirley— She's the 'I'll find it' girlie; For a fee that's very small, She'll find anything at all."

Remember how BARBARA COLLIS' greatest ambition was to be an undertaker? Well, her ambition was realized. She is now in business with an old school friend and if you see a strawberry pink hearse with the name "Collis and Cole" on it, you'll know it's she. All of her business is done just like her motto says:

"For a really colorful funeral, call Collis and Cole. We'll be out to get you in our strawbery hearse in a jiffy."

Shirley John and Barbara Collis

Keep your heart free from hate, your mind from worry. Live simply; expect little; give much; fill your life with love; scatter sunshine. Forget self. Think of others, and do as you would be done by.

Major Edward Bowes

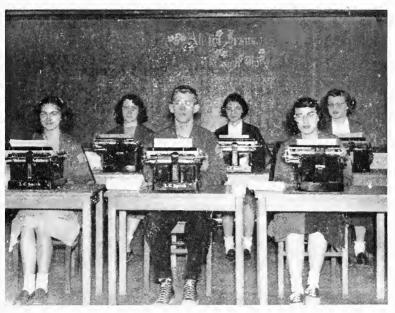
CONGRATULATIONS

ON MAY 20, Maurice Renie and Betty Parr received certificates for Perfect Attendance during their Sophomore Year at St. Joseph. Betty also had a perfect record for her Freshman year and Maurice missed only one-half day during that time. Barbara Collis likewise had a perfect attendance for her Freshman year and missed only one-half day during her Sophomore year.

Other certificates awarded at this time were: Class Valedictorian Certificate to Barbara Collis; Class Salutatorian Certificate to Nan Fettig; Student Assistant Librarian Certificates to Barbara Collis, Nan Fettig, Sarah Hirsch, and Shirley John; High School Club Certificates to Sarah Hirsch, Maurice Renie, Nan Fettig, and Barbara Collis; Student Service Certificate to Maurice Renie: Student Assistant Certificate to Betty Parr.







OUR TYPING CLASS

ON APRIL 28, the following students received their typing Certificates at the rates specified from the Gregg Publishing Company in New York. Certificates are issued to students who can qualify on a ten-minute test at a speed of 30 or more words per minute. Ten words are deducted for each error from the gross words written before calculating the new words per minute.

COMPETENT TYPIST TEST FOR APRIL

NAME	GROSS	ERRORS	PENALTY	N.W.P.M.
	WORDS			
Betty Parr	506	2	20	49
Sarah Hirsch	510	4	40	4 7
Barbara Collis	447	1	10	44
Nan Fettig	450	2	20	43
Shirley John	481	5	50	43
Maurice Renie	430	7	70	36









SIX LITTLE SOPHOMORES

Six little Sophomores, really in the jive;
SALLY slipped, then there were five.

Five little Sophomores, who decided to Conga some more;

SHIRLEY kicked too far and then there were four.

Four little Sophomores who tried to ski;

BARBIE fell off the ski-jump, then there were three.

Three little Sophomores playing "Skip to My Lou";

NAN skipped away to Marmion, then there were two.

Two little Sophomores playing with a gun;

BETTY got shot and then there was one.

One little Sophomore with his work all done;

QUINT said, "Valete!", so now there's none.

Barbara Collis

SOPHOMORE EARMARKS

NAN FETTIG'S half and half skirt
BARBARA COLLIS' pink lightning glasses
BETTY PARR'S studious habits
SALLY HIRSCH'S natural wave (Toni)
QUINT RENIE'S winning ways
SHIRLEY JOHN'S little black book
Shirley John



FRESHMEN

President Jerry Wilson
Vice-President Edward Hayes
Secretary Phil Johnson
Treasurer Don Eder

CLASS INVOCATION
Sacred Heart of Jesus, I place my trust in Thee.

CLASS COLORS

Green and White

CLASS FLOWER
Victorian Rose

CLASS ROLL

Phyllis Bradley
Julia Bucci
Rosemary Conner
Beverly Connors
Tony De Bonis
Donald Eder
Larry Fettig
Ruth Fritz

Edward Hayes
Phil Johnson
Barbara Leavell
Edwin Meyer
James Murphy
Ray Seibold
Carolyn Smith
Emma Jean Werline

Jerry Wilson







OUR CLASS

Freshmen, Freshmen, green as can be Look at this page and see what they be. RUTH FRITZ stands first in line, Corning and going and never behind. BEVERLY CONNORS is next, you will see, And appears a baton star to be. IEAN WERLINE, a youthful little lass, Is peppy and happy and always in class. ROSEMARY CONNER is fourth in line, She's here and there and always on time. PHYLLIS BRADLEY is quiet in school, Never silly or acting the fool. CAROLYN SMITH, our cute lass, In all her studies is sure to pass. Now there's JULIA BUCCI, a kind little lass, Well liked by every member of the class.

The boys, who are zestful and all full of pep, Are also up and ready and really hep. RAY SEIBOLD is the first one you see, He is a poet yet to be. ED HAYES, our little boy, Likes to sleep and play with a toy. IIM MURPHY, our athlete, Is really hard to beat. TONY DE BONIS, our basketball star, Is well liked by all near and far. JERRY WILSON, who likes to tease, Is our swimming boy and takes life with ease. ED MEYER, our football star. In his lessons could go quite far. PHIL JOHNSON, our printing star; You'll find his products near and far.



LARRY FETTIG ranks next in line, He's really good with an Algebra sign.

DON EDER, last in line, Gets his lessons just fine.

Now don't get excited and afraid Because this poem came out of my 'haid.'

Barbara Leavell



Editor, Barbara Collis
Assistant Editor, Shirley John
Sports Editor, Nan Fettig
Business Manager, Sarah Hirsch
Photographer, Quint Renie
Typist, Betty Parr



OUR FRESHMEN: THEIR LIKES AND AMBITIONS

NAME	LIKES	AMBITION
Don Eder	Latin	To be a Professor at Notre Dame
Larry Fettig	Algebra	To be a Comedian
Jerry Wilson	Anderson	To be a Pilot
Ed Hayes	Toys	To be a Justice of the Peace
Phil Johnson	History	To be an Artist
Ray Seibold	Algebra	To be a Tobacco Salesman
Tony De Bonis	Sports	To be a Warden at Sing-Sing
Jim Murphy	Football	To be an Explorer
Ed Meyer	Skating	To be a Guard at Alcatraz
Rose Conner	English	To be a House Wile
Phyllis Bradley	Don	To be an Old Maid
Jean Werline	People	To be a College Yell Lender
Julia Bucci	Literature	To be a Nurse
Ruth Fritz	To walk(?)	To Get Out of School
Beverly Connors	Batons	To be Popular
Barbara Leavell	Mac(?)	To be a Paper Girl
Carolyn Smith	Dallas	To be a Farmer

Beverly Connors
Carolyn Smith



GORGEOUS GEORGE



A fine and mighty lad was he
Strutting around for all to see.
His pretty armor of
red and brown
Brought unto him great renown

He didn't know 'twas his
day of doom,
His fate he'd meet when he'd
leave the room.
He served the Sisters in an
elegant way
By appearing on their table
Thanksgiving Day!

Sarah Hirsch





ON SUNDAY, MAY 1, we had our annual May Procession. Miss Nan Fettig was our Queen of May. She had the honor of crowning Our Blessed Mother during a very impressive ceremony, in which the whole student body participated.

Nan wore a beautiful white formal and the new bridal veil which the school purchased this year. She carried the traditional bouquet of American Beauties.

Betty Parr was maid of honor and wore a chartreuse formal gown. The attendants, Sarah Hirsch, Barbara Collis, and Shirley





John wore formal gowns in pastel shades, white lace mitts, white satin ballerinas and carried nose-gays to match gowns.

Maurice Renie led the procession. Barbara Leavell carried the banner and Mary Ann Schick and Rita Klemme were streamer carriers.

Ruth Fettig carried the crown and Karen Hayes and Stephen Fettig were train bearers.

The ceremony was closed with Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament by our pastor, Father Hammes.

Betty Parr







WHO'S WHO IN ST. JOE'S HIGH SCHOOL

WHO'S OUR
Queen of the May? Nan Fettig
Conquering Heroes? The Trojans
Greenest Freshman? Jerry Wilson
Hildegarde? Barbara Leavell
"Jeannie With the Light Brown Hair?" Jean Werline
Kate Smith? Julia Bucci
Pepsodent Pest? Shirley John
Johnny Lujack? Tony De Bonis
Sleeping Beauty? Quint Renie
Rambling Rose? Rose Conner
Blushin' Belle? Carolyn Smith
Mischievous Miss? Ruth Fritz
First Triumvirate? Ed Hayes, Jerry Wilson, Tony De Bonis
Wittiest Sophomore? Shirley John
Biggest Daydreamer? Barbara Collis
Great General? "Stonewall" Johnson
"I hate to get up in the mornin'" lad? Larry Fettig
Judy Canova? Sally Hirsch
Best Sport? Ed Meyer
Most Cheerful Gal? Phyllis Bradley
Joe E. Brown? Ray Seibold
"Menace"? Ed Hayes
Bud Abbott? Don Eder
Irma Peterson? Betty Parr
Friendliest Freshman? Jim Murphy
Baton Star? Beverly Connors
Colgate Twins? Nan Fettig and Quint Renie
Our Most Dignified Students? SOPHOMORES
The Nutty Author? Barbara Collis









HEARD IN ST. JOE HIGH SCHOOL

BETTY PARR Not Really!
SALLY HIRSCH Oh, you make me so mad!
NAN FETTIG Well!
SHIRLEY JOHN Here we go again!
BARBARA COLLIS Oh, oh, oh
QUINT RENIE Squintinsquinious Drops
RUTH FRITZ I can't say
BEVERLY CONNORS
BARBARA LEAVELL
ROSE CONNER Get out of here!
PHYLLIS ERADLEY Oh, 1 don't care
JEAN WERLINE I'm not so small
CAROLYN SMITH
JULIA BUCCI
ED HAYES I'm hungry
Tony de Bonis No kidding
RAY SEIBOLD Don't ask me!
ED MEYER Nothing doing
JIM MURPHY I'm not so dumb
Larry fettig Do tell!
JERRY WILSON Who, me?
PHIL JOHNSON That's tough!
DON EDER Huh! I don't get it
Shirley John and
D1 . I 11

Barbara Leavell









OUR HOBBIES

Don Eder Reading
Larry Fettig
Jerry Wilson Exploring
Phil Johnson Collecting
Ray Seibold Football
Ed Hayes Telling Jokes
Tony De Bonis
Γd Meyer Reading
Jim Murphy Scouting
Rose Conner Skating
Phyllis Bradley
Jean Werline Bike Riding
Carolyn Smith
Julia Bucci Hikes
Ruth Fritz Talking
Beverly Connors Sewing
Barbara Leavell
Barbara Collis Eating
Nan Fettig Baseball
Betty Parr Gardening
Sally Hirsch Horseback Riding
Shirley John Swimming
Quint Renie Studying (???)
Sally Hirsch and

Barbara Leavell







HIGH SCHOOL HIT PARADE

Quint Renie
Shirley John "I've Got My Love to
Keep Me Warm"
Betty Parr "Cruising Down the River"
Nan Fettig
Sally Hirsch "Don't Rob Another Man's Castle."
Barbara Collis "Forever and Ever"
Julia Bucci "Humpty-Dumpty Heart"
Beverly Connors "Lavender Blue"
Ruth Fritz "Stardust"
Barbara Leavell "Why Does It Get Late So Early?"
Carolyn Smith "It's Too Soon To Know"
Jean Werline "Bella-Bella Marie"
Phyllis Bradley
Rose Conner "You Can't Be True, Dear"
Ed Hayes "A Little Bird Told Me"
Tony De Bonis "Four Leaf Clover"
Ed Meyer "Twelfth Street Rag"
Jim Murphy "Slow Boat to China"
Phil Johnson "Too Fat Polka"
Jerry Wilson "Bang, Bang, Nellie"
Larry Fettig "Casey Jones"
Don Eder "Sunflower"
Ray Seibold "Smoke, Smoke, Smoke"
Betty Parr and

Betty Parr and Carolyn Smith







CAN YOU IMAGINE

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Don Eder- without his Latin . . . Larry Fettig-not being able to solve an equation . . . Jerry Wilson— without a smile . . . Phil Johnson— not drawing . . . Ray Seibold— wearing a size 8 shoe . . . Ed Hayes— keeping silence a whole hour in school Tony De Bonis—being a book worm . . . Ed Meyer— smiling all the time . . . Jim Murphy- not wanting to play football . . . Rose Conner— wearing her glasses regularly . . . Phyllis Bradley— not handing in a neat paper . . . Iean Werline- six feet tall . . . Carolyn Smith—missing her lessons . . . Julia Bucci— with a frown on her face . . . Ruth Fritz—going straight home from school . . . Beverly Connors— not going to the pencil sharpener once every half hour . . . Barbara Leavell— not wanting to talk about a paper boy . . . Shirley John— without a new thrill . . . Nan Fettig- without Marmion news . . . Barbara Collis- missing an English assignment . . . Sally Hirsch- with a feather cut . . . Betty Parr— without her quiet(?) ways . . . Quint Renie— sitting still for five minutes . . . ????

> Julia Bucci and Rose Conner







BASKETBALL

In basketball the players jump To hit the ball up high. Then hurry down the floor to reach The goal for which they try. They dribble and they toss the ball To others on their team. And do the best to execute The coach's clever scheme. They have to watch their step so they Will not sustain a loss, By fouls that allow their foe To take an extra toss. The center and the forward and The guards must do their part. And every member of the team must have a fighting heart. But he who keeps the score for them Has nothing much to do, For all he has to know is how To add up two and two.

Phil Ichnson

REMEMBER 'WAY BACK WHEN . . .

Sally had long curls? Quint first darkened the halls of St. Joe's? Betty didn't know how to drive a tractor? Nan was taller than Barbara? Barbara had to stand in the cloakroom? Shirley used to beat the boys at baseball?

Barbara Collis







SOPHOMORE ATTENDANCE RECORD

NAME	A.M.	P.M.	REASON
Nan Fettig	X	\mathbf{X}	Excursion to Marmion
Betty Parr	X	\mathbf{X}	Trip to New York
Sally Hirsch	X	\mathbf{X}	Riding in a Rodeo
Quint Renie	X	X	Working at King's Music Stand
Barbara Collis	X	\mathbf{X}	Inspecting Dietzen's Bakery
Shirley John	X	X	Visiting Kokomo High School

Barbara Collis

IDEAL GIRL

IDEAL BOY

Height-5'3" Ruth Fritz	Height—5'11"Ray Seibold
Weight—115 Rose Conner	Weight—140 Don Eder
Eyes—big and brown	Eyes—blue Ed Hayes
Barbara Leavell	Hair-black Jerry Wilson
Hair—light brown	Smile—friendly Ed Meyer
Carolyn Smith	Pep— Larry Fettig
Smile—charmingJulia Bucci	Personality—attractive
Pep— Jean Werline	Phil Johnson
Personality—pleasing	Wit-Irish Tony De Bonis
Nan Fettig	Disposition—serious
Wit—readyShirley John	Jim Murphy
Disposition—pleasant	Studiousness—enviable
Betty Parr	Quint Renie(?)
Studiousness-wonderful	
Phyllis Bradley	
Helpfulness—nice	
Beverly Connors	
Humor—necessary	
Sally Hirsch	Barbara Collis



S.J.H.S. DICTIONARY

A—is for Absurd, answers given in class.

B—is for *Brains*, which are necessary to pass.

C—is for Calamity, a daily occurrence in class.

D-is for Distractions, known to every lad and lass.

E—is for Excuses, those handy things.

F-is for Failure, which we hope will take wings.

G-is for Girls, those creatures wonderful as elves.

H-is for Heroes, what the Freshmen consider themselves.

I-is for Initiation, the night when Frosh get their due.

J-is for Johns, who is Shirley to you.

K-is for Keyboard, a strange plaything on a typewriter.

L-is for Luck, which makes the Sophomores brighter.

M-is for Maurice, the man of our class.

N—is for Nan, who will in all things pass.

O-is for Outspoken, which nobody is in class at all.

P-is for Parr, our gal Betty, who is not very tall.

Q-is for Queer, a term used to refer to Freshmen.

R—is for *Riotous*, which means Barbara who acts like she's ten.

S—is for Sawdust, which is found in a Freshman's head.

T-is for Terrific; that's Sally, it's said.

U-is for Unusual, the extra-special 1949 Josephium.

V—is for Violent, Sister's reaction to our papers (hummn.)

W-is for Wasteful, what Sister Johanna is with gum.

X—is for X-mas, a welcome interval from the usual hum-drum.

Y-is for Yells, what cheer leaders use.

Z—is for Zeal, which we always seem to lose.

Barbara Collis



THE FRESHMEN ARE UP AND COMING STARS

(Use Your Imagination)

RUTH FRITZ	Esther Williams
BEVERLY CONNORS	Gloria Jean
CAROLYN SMITH	. Lauren Bacall
BARBARA LEAVELL	Jeanne Crain
ROSEMARY CONNER	Elizabeth Taylor
JULIA BUCCI	Jean Arthur
PHYLLIS BRADLEY	Olivia de Havilland
JEAN WERLINE	Jane Powell
DON EDER	Robert Montgomery
ED HAYES	Sterling Hayden
TONY DE EONIS	Montgomery Clift
LARRY FETTIG	Peter Lawford
JERRY WILSON	Cornel Wilde
RAY SEIBOLD	William Eythe
JAMES MURPHY	Helmut Dantine
PHIL JOHNSON	Burt Lancaster
ED MEYERS	. William Holden
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SCOUTING

THIS PAST YEAR the Beaver Patrol, Boy Scouts of St. Joe, have renewed their charter in the Boy Scouts of America. The troop won first place in Madison county district first-aid contest. And of the 150 Scout troops attending the Westward Ho! at Turkey Run state park, our troop placed second in the Madison district.

This seems like a good time to thank Messrs. John Eder, Richard Hasecuster, Robert Renie, Sam Hollies, Fred Emmerling, and Stephen Murphy for the help they have given us. The boys in the picture are, left to right: (seated) Lester Fernung, Charles Murphy, Arthur Emmerling, Gerry Eder, Philip Fettig, (standing) Conrad Seibold, Larry Stine, Maurice Renie, Mr. Eder, James Murphy, Don Eder, John Curran, Michael Helpling, Bill Weller, Jerry Hollies, John Fihe, Bill Fihe, Art Stafford, Ed Meyer, Larry Fettig and Bernie Altherr were not present for the picture.





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Beverly Fettig, Nancy Hayes, Maribell Wheatley, June Ripperger, Susan Sigward, Jenene Ring, Karen Stine, Margene Schuck, Cynthia Berringer, Shirley Fisher, Janet Curran, Mary Conner and Beverly Connors. Mrs. James Ripperger and Mrs. David Hardebeck



TROOP 21 AND SPONSORS

Bottom row: Maureen Conner, Rita Fisher, Marilyn Fettig, Patricia Smith, Barbara Perry, Arlene Fernung, Margaret Borst.
Top row: Mrs. John Eder, Jeanne Holliday, Sharon Glotzbach, Mary Lou Collis, Elaine Eder, Mary Jo Nash, Jean Spies, Anna Marie Haas, Joan Helpling, Mrs. Robert Spies.









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DURING CATHOLIC PRESS MONTH a number of new books were added to our library. Two of the librarians, Ruth Fritz and Carolyn Smith, are discussing the latest edition for the library, "Girls, You're Important," by Father Siekmann.

ANNUNCIATION SUNDAY

On March 27, the first vocation institute was held on the Academy ground of St. Joseph Academy, Tipton, Indiana. Almost a thousand young women, Sisters, adults and priests attended.

The purpose of the Institute was to show the workings of the religious life of the communities of Sisters active in this diocese, and to bring before the young people the shortage of teaching and nursing Sisters. The need for more vocations both at home and in the



mission field was brought out by our Most Reverend Bishop, who sponsored the event; by the principal speaker, Father Joseph Wagner, assistant director for the Propagation of the Faith; and by Father James Quinn, chairman of the event.

Our Most Reverend Bishop summarized the day's activities as a "magnificent expression of faith." He asked the audience to say three Hail Marys every day for vocations in the diocese.

Betty Parr



CHRISTMAS CRIB ON HOSPITAL LAWN

Sarah Hirsch modeled for Our Blessed Mother, Ray Seibold for St. Joseph, and David Kiefer for the Christ Child.

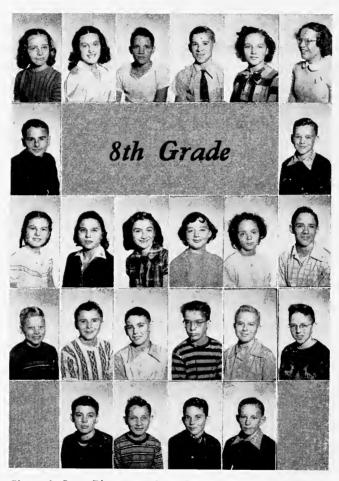






DURING THE SCHOLASTIC YEAR 1948-49, Jack and Joe Fettig, ages 12 and 13, respectively, had the honor of serving as pages in the Senate at the statehouse on Friday, February 25, 1949. This experience proved to be very interesting as well as educational for the boys. Jack and Joe were given certificates, properly signed and bearing the seal of the State of Indiana as well as a letter from the Patronage Committee, acknowledging their services as pages. The boys were sponsored by Senator Samuel E. Johnson, of Anderson.





Sue Sigward, June Ripperger, Gene De Bonis, Philip Jung, Nancy Hayes, Janet Curran, Jerry Kelich, Dave Hardebeck, Beverly Fettig, Jeanne Ring, Jane Wilson, Maribel Wheatley, Dorothy Parr, Maurice Parr, David Hibst, Larry Stine, John Gaffney, John Curran, Lester Fernung, Jerry Hollies, Jack Fettig, Tom Conner, Larry McElfresh, Joe Hardebeck.





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Not pictured—Karen Stine, Margene Schuck.







"SLEEPING BEAUTY" staged by Junior High. (Lower) TROJANS.





FIGHT, TROJANS, FIGHT! Good luck, team, good luck, Good luck, team, good luck, Team, we say GOOD LUCK!

This is one of the many cheers which urged on our Trojans to fight for St. Joe's. The cheer leaders, Barbara Leavell, Jean Werline and Carolyn Smith were chosen by the student body and did a mighty fine job. Their new uniforms are green and white, in keeping with the team's colors.









TED KIEFER

FATHER HAMMES

CHARLES KELLY

OUR ATHLETIC SPONSORS

THE STUDENTS and faculty of St. Joseph School wish to take this opportunity to thank the Athletic Sponsors for their time they so generously gave to us, and for the interest they manifested in our games.

To Father Hammes, who accompanied us to all our games, we wish to express our sincere appreciation and gratitude for his untiring efforts in arranging for our schedule of games and for transportation.

We also want to thank Ted Kiefer and Charles Kelly for the help they have given us in Basketball and Football respectively. We do thank you for your time and patience and we hope you will be with us again next year!

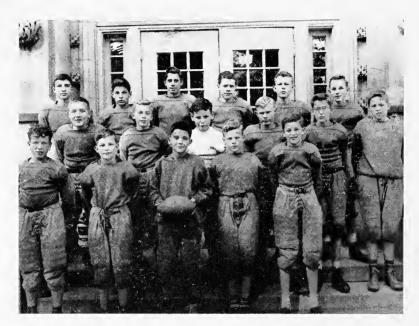
We want to take this opportunity to thank Mr. Melvin of The Monticello Corporation for the generous donation to the athletic fund. We wish also to express our appreciation to Mr. Kelich and family for furnishing transportation during the football season.



THE SPORTS AT ST. Joe hit an all-high this year in both football and basketball. Although the boys did not have an exceptional number of victories, the spirit was there. With the aid and support of the students, faculty and parishioners, the teams were able to participate in the usual sports. Our pastor, Rev. Father Hammes, was very helpful in securing transportation and the needed equipment, and we wish to give him a vote of thanks. Our thanks also to Jim Kelly, who acted as coach and general manager for the boys, and who did a splendid job throughout the season. Our very peppy cheer leaders for the high school were the Freshman girls, Jean Werline, Carolyn Smith and Barbara Leavell.

- OCTOBER 6 (here) vs ELWOOD FROSH. The Trojans catapaulted the season with a 13-7 victory.
- OCTOBER 13 (there) vs Noblesville Millers. We were again proved the better team with a wide margin of 19-6.
- OCTOBER 15 (there) vs TIPTON BLUE DEVILS. Our first defeat (though not last) brought us a 6-31 whipping.
- October 18 (here) vs Elwood Frosh. We didn't win, but we tied them 7-7.
- OCTOBER 22 (there) vs ALEX TIGERS. A bloody battle, with us on the *short* end of a 44-0 score.
- OCTOBER 25 (here) vs Noblesville. What a come-back! A great victory for S.J.S.—result, 13-0.
- OCTOBER 30 (here) vs TIPTON. Another defeat, but we did hold them to two touch-downs, 14-12.
- NOVEMBER 2 (there) vs Westfield. Fate smiled on us, and we won our last game, 14-13.





Line-up for the Freshman team:

Left end	T. De Bonis	Right end	Q. Renie
Left half	J. Curran	Right half	E. Hayes
Left guard	J. Murphy	Right guard	T. Melvin
Left tackle	R. Seibold	Right tackle	P. Johnson
Left guard	J. Murphy	Right guard	E. Hayes
Quarter-back	J. Wilson	Full-back	E. Meyers
Center	D. Eder		

Nan Fettig





BASKETBALL

St. Joe has had its first high-school team this year in two years, and although we only won a third of all the games, the boys played their best and proved to be tough competition. All the games were played out of town.

Line-up

Forwards: Quint Renie, Don Eder, Ed Hayes, Jim Murphy.

Centers: Phil Johnson, Ray Seibold.

Guards:	Black Wilson, Tony De Bonis, Ed Meyers, Larry	rettig.
	We	They
Dec. 9	Frankton 19	36
Dec. 21	Summitville 14	16
Jan. 4	Tipton 14	15
Jan. 13	Frankton 25	20
Jan. 25	Tipton	23
Jan. 27	Windfall 22	12
Feb. 16	Lapel	34









JUNIOR-HIGH BASKETBALL

THE JUNIOR-HIGH TROJANS had only a few wins this year, lacking the needed height. But they might prove to be what the ol' school needs in a couple of years. The scores for their games are as follows:

as follow	rs: We	They		We The	ev
Dec. 9	Frankton10	40	Jan. 27	Windfall29	19
Dec. 21	Summitville .11	31	Feb. 12	Lapel	38
Jan. 4	Tipton 3	38		(Tourney)	
Jan. 13	Frankton16	36	Feb. 16	Lapel16 3	38
Jan. 21	So. Elwood 20	11	Feb. 17	Elwood Jr. Hi 13 2	27
Jan. 25	Tipton 16	30	Mar.11	College Corner 14	1
Forward	ls: John Gaffney, I	Phil I	Pettig, Le	es Fernung, John Schuc	k.
Centers:	Phil Jung, Jerry	Holli	ies.		
Jan. 25 Forward	Tipton16 ls: John Gaffney, I	30 Phil I	Mar.11 Fettig, Le	College Corner 14	1

Guards: Gene De Bonis, Bernard Altherr, Ross Fettig, T. Melvin.





KITTY LEAGUE

THIS YEAR, as last, the St. Joseph Kitty League came off with high honors, capturing the Elwood Kitty League Championship with ten consecutive winnings. They were awarded a championship pennant, which hangs in the school hall, and individual basketball emblems. The boys are to be congratulated for their display of team strategy and sportsmanlike attitude.

and sportsn	$W\epsilon$	9	They	Tour	nev
1st week:	Washington	0	1	20	0
2nd week:	Osborn	4	2	9	2
3rd week:	Linwood1	4	5	10	4
4th week:	Central	0	6	+	2
5th week:	Edgewood2	0	9	18	3

Line-up

Forwards: M. Holliday, Dale Francis, Bill Schuck, Connie Siebold.

Centers: Arthur Emmerling, Jack De Bonis.

Guards: Sonny Werline, David Francis, Ronny Fettig, John Durm.

Nan Fettig





MICHAEL MELVIN, a member of the present Sophomore class, left our school to attend a military school in Aurora, Illinois. Marmion Academy, conducted by the Benedictine Fathers, is credited as being an honor school and is a branch of the R.O.T.C. Michael likes Marmion very much and is planning on finishing his high school course there.

Nan Fettig



SCHOOL DIARY

SEPTEMBER

- 3-Registration; 245 pupils enrolled.
- 7—First day of school.
- 8-Election of Class Officers; Nan chosen president.
- 13-17—Freshmen Week,
- 13-Initiation of Freshmen.
- 16-Freshmen-Sophomore weiner roast and scavenger hunt.
- 21-Lecture on fire prevention.
- 27-Election of Annual Staff; Barbara editor-in-chief.
- 29-Yell leaders elected: Carolyn, Barbara Lou, Jean,

OCTOBER

- 1-First Friday Breakfast.
- 3-Children's Sunday; excellent attendance.
- 5—Class sweaters arrived; pretty, pretty!
- 6—First football game. We BEAT Elwood Freshmen, 13-7.
- 13-We won over Noblesville Millers. 19-6.
- 15-Our first defeat, at the hands of Tipton.
- 18-Tie with Elwood Freshmen, 7-7,
- 22-Sisters' Shower; high school sang.
 - A game with Alex; a good one, but we lost,
- 24—Mission Sunday. United Nations Day.
- 25—Game with Noblesville; we won (naturally), 13-0.
- 26—Free in the afternoon to attend circus. (Got out at 2.)
- 27-May Queen elected. Nan, the lucky girl!
 - Freshmen gave Halloween party for Sophomores. Thanks, Freshies.
- 30—Forty Hours Devotion begins.
 - Return game with Tipton, Wasn't too bad: 14-12.
- 31-Party for Mick Melvin at Nan's.

NOVEMBER

- 1-Free Day!! All Saints Day. Closing of Forty Hours.
- 2—Game with Westfield. We played well.
 - Pictures taken for Annual.
- 5—First Friday.
- 9—Father Hammes' Feast Day.
- 10-Confirmation by Bishop Bennett.
- 12—Free Day!! Courtesy of our Bishop.
- 16—Entertainment and lecture by Chief Sunny Skies (Dr. Wolff.)



19—Pat Copher, George Holliday, John Renie won in our Turkey and Duck raffle.

25-29—Thanksgiving Vacation.

DECEMBER

8-Feast of Immaculate Conception. Free Day!!

9—New basketball uniforms arrived. Green and White!!!
First basketball game. We need practice.

15—Opening Ceremony of new Crib at hospital. School

choir sang.

21—Game with Summitville. St. Joe, 14; Summitville, 16. Christmas Party for Sophomores at Nan's.

Junior Red Cross project for hospital completed.

22-Jan. 4—Christmas Vacation!

24, 25, 26—Carols sung at hospital by choir.

JANUARY

4—Game with Tipton; 15-14. It was close!

13—Sweet revenge; we won over Frankton, 25-20.

17-21—Time of Sorrow; semester exams.

25—Game with Tipton, 20-23. (We could use 3 points.)

27-We won from Windfall, 29-19.

28-Sophomore pictures taken. Things of beauty!!

FEBRUARY

1—Candy Sale. Proceeds for May Queen veil.

8—Candy Sale. Proceeds for the Valentine Dance.

13—Cupid's Caper was held. We had a very good time!

16—Pep session.

Game with Lapel. We lost by 1 point (34-33.)

17—We lost to Elwood Junior High.

MARCH

1—Candy Sale. Proceeds to Fund for Our Holy Father.

7—Elwood Kitty League Championship Pennant presented to S.J.S. Kitty League.

8—Iunior Red Cross project completed for Veterans at Marion.

16—Sophomore picture for the Hall of Fame arrived! A thing of beauty is a joy forever.

17—Intra-Communication System initiated with St. Patrick's Day program.

Student body gave Salute to Cross.

High school sang Holy God.



18—Free Day in honor of St. Joseph. Whoopee!!!!!! We courageous Sophomores met at the Sister's Convent to set up the dummy. (No, we did not use Quint.)

19—St. Joseph Dav. The 1949 Josephium went to press. Hooray!

21—Mickey Melvin paid us a visit at school.

27—Annunciation Sunday, at St. Joseph's Academy, Tipton. First Diocesan Vocation Institute at St. Joseph's Academy, Tipton, Junior High and High School were invited. We had an interesting and pleasant day.

APRIL

Diocesan Nurses' Convention. Our Most Reverend Bishop was with us.

13-18—Easter Vacation.

19-Last report cards! The next cards will be promotion cards?????

24—First Communion for the children of grade two. Sarah Hirsch was chosen Guardian Angel. '49-ers Gold Rush Dance.

MAY

1—May Procession at 7:30 in the evening. Class honors announced. Valedictorian, Barbara Collis; Salutatorian, Nan Fettig.

18—May Day at St. Joseph's Academy at Tipton.

22-Sophomore Week begins. We attended Mass and Holy Communion in a body.

23—Weiner roast and hav ride at Betty Parr's, for Sophomores and Freshmen.

24—Banquet at Mangas Cafeteria; Freshmen and Soph-

25—Trip to Indianapolis. We visited radio stations, Monument Circle, and Circle Theatre.

26—Theatre Party.

27—Shopping trip to Kokomo. Promotion cards are given out.

28—Last meeting of the '49-ers.

29—Formal graduation in Church. The girls of grades nine, eight, and seven formed a guard of honor for the class. Class Breakfast at Bonham Hotel. Day at Yellow Creek Lake.



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For living a fair and square life,
For doing your level best,
For all these you will never be sorry.

Selected



THANK YOU

THE NEW CHILDREN OF MARY'S banner was used for the first time in the May Procession for 1948. The Seventh and Eighth grades sponsored a cake raffle and presented the school with a beautiful new banner. However, The Josephium had already gone to the press and we did not have an opportunity to say 'thank you' to all those who helped to pay for the banner.

Nan Fettig

AFTERWORD . . .

We, the Sophomore Class of St. Joseph School, wish to extend our gratitude to the business men of Elwood who have aided us in the publication of this, the TWENTIETH EDITION of The Josephium. We also wish to thank the Sisters and all who have helped us to realize our cherished dream—Our Year Book.

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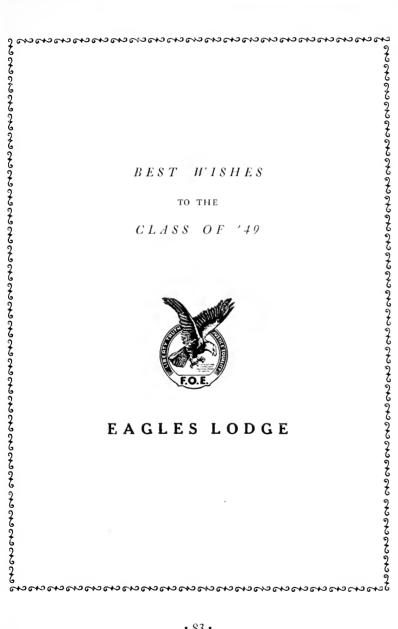
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PRAYER OF MARY, QUEEN OF SCOTS

KEEP US, O God, from pettiness; let us be large in thought, in word, in deed.

Let us be done with fault-finding and leave off self-seeking.

May we put away all pretense and meet each other, face to face, without self-pity and without prejudice.

May we never be hasty in judgement and always generous.

Let us take time for all things; make us to grow calm, serene, gentle.

Teach us to put in action our better impulses— straight-forward and unafraid.

Grant that we may realize it is the little things of life that create difficulties; that in the big things of life we are as one.

Oh, Lord, let us not forget to be kind.

Amen.



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